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#### *Tentative Agenda*

Thursday, November 13, 1997

#### A. Opening Remarks

#### B. Major Topics

1. Electricity Today: A Briefing
2. Electricity Prices in a Competitive Environment
3. Petroleum Marketing Disclosure Avoidance Techniques
4. Electricity Auctions Under the Concept of "Open Transmission Access" \*
5. A Prototype Network Model of the New England Power Pool
6. Public Comment

\* To be conducted in the Forrestal Building at 1000 Independence Ave., S.W., Washington, D.C., Room GI-034(A).

Friday, November 14, 1997

1. Use of Covariates to Improve Efficiency of Estimation
2. Estimated Supply Functions on International Crude Oil for 41 Countries: A Model
3. Public Comment
4. Closing Comments by the Chairperson

#### **Public Participation**

The meeting is open to the public. The Chairperson of the committee is empowered to conduct the meeting in a fashion that will facilitate the orderly conduct of business. Written statements may be filed with the committee either before or after the meeting. If there are any questions, please contact Mr. William Weinig, EIA Committee Liaison, at the address or telephone number listed above.

#### **Minutes and Transcripts**

Available for public review and copying at the Public Reading Room, (Room 1E-190), 1000 Independence Avenue, SW, Washington, DC 20585, (202) 586-3142, between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., Monday through Friday.

Issued at Washington, DC on October 22, 1997.

**Rachel M. Samuel,**

*Deputy Advisory Committee Management Officer.*

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#### **DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

#### **Environmental Management Site-Specific Advisory Board, Fernald**

**AGENCY:** Department of Energy.

**ACTION:** Notice of open meeting.

**SUMMARY:** Pursuant to the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463, 86 Stat. 770) notice is hereby given of the following Advisory Committee meeting: Environmental Management Site-Specific Advisory Board (EM SSAB), Fernald.

**DATES:** Saturday, November 15, 1997—8:30 a.m.–12 p.m.; (public comment session: 11:45 a.m.–12 p.m.)

**ADDRESSES:** Alpha Building, 10967 Hamilton-Cleves Highway, Harrison, Ohio.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** John S. Applegate, Chair of the Fernald Citizens Task Force, PO Box 544, Ross, Ohio 45061, or call the Fernald Citizens Task Force office (513) 648-6478.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Purpose of the Board: The purpose of the Board is to make recommendations to DOE and its regulators in the areas of future use, cleanup levels, waste disposition and cleanup priorities at the Fernald site.

#### **Tentative Agenda**

8:30 a.m.—Call to Order  
8:30–8:40—Opening Remarks  
8:40–9:00—Committee Reports  
9:00–9:15—Review of Site Tour  
9:15–10:15—Prioritization and Long-Term Planning  
10:15–10:30—Break  
10:30–11:45—Overhead Cost Reduction  
11:45–12:00—Opportunity for Public Input  
12:00 p.m.—Adjourn

A final agenda will be available at the meeting, Saturday, November 15, 1997.

#### **Public Participation**

The meeting is open to the public. Written statements may be filed with the Board chair either before or after the meeting. Individuals who wish to make oral statements pertaining to agenda items should contact the Board chair at the address or telephone number listed above. Requests must be received 5 days prior to the meeting and reasonable provision will be made to include the presentation in the agenda. The Designated Federal Official, Gary Stegner, Public Affairs Officer, Ohio Field Office, U.S. Department of Energy, is empowered to conduct the meeting in a fashion that will facilitate the orderly conduct of business. Each individual wishing to make public comment will be provided a maximum of 5 minutes to present their comments.

#### **Minutes**

The minutes of this meeting will be available for public review and copying at the Freedom of Information Public

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#### **DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

#### **Environmental Management Site-Specific Advisory Board, Paducah**

**AGENCY:** Department of Energy.

**ACTION:** Notice of Open Meeting.

**SUMMARY:** Pursuant to the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463, 86 Stat. 770) notice is hereby given of the following Advisory Committee meeting: Environmental Management Site-Specific Advisory Board (EM SSAB), Paducah Gaseous Diffusion Plant.

**DATES:** Thursday, November 20, 1997: 6:00 p.m.–9:00 p.m.

**ADDRESSES:** Heath High School (cafeteria), 4330 Metropolis Lake Road, West Paducah, Kentucky.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Carlos Alvarado, Site-Specific Advisory Board Coordinator, Department of Energy Paducah Site Office, Post Office Box 1410, MS-103, Paducah, Kentucky 42001, (502) 441-6804.

#### **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

*Purpose of the Board:* The purpose of the Board is to make recommendations to DOE and its regulators in the areas of environmental restoration, waste management, and related activities.

*Tentative Agenda:* The meeting will include updates on the Environmental Management and Enrichment Facilities Project, Waste Management, and Effective & Meaningful Public Input reports; administrative plans; and an Environmental Management Evaluation Ranking Matrix. It will also include a drum update; a review of the SSAB Draft Work Plan; a media contact discussion; and an update on Waste Area Grouping 22.

*Public Participation:* The meeting is open to the public. Written statements may be filed with the Committee either before or after the meeting. Individuals